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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

MING ZHENG ET. AL.

CASE NO.: CL2221USNA

APPLICATION NO.: 10/716346

CONFIRMATION NO.: 7632

**GROUP ART UNIT: 1634** 

EXAMINER: FORMAN, B

FILED: NOVEMBER 18, 2003

FOR: DISPERSION OF CARBON NANOTUBES BY NUCLEIC ACIDS

## RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Introductory Comments

This is submitted in response to the Advisory Action mailed 11.7.2006 and accompanies a Request for Continuing Prosecution under 37 CFR 1.114. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and submit the following in support thereof. Please amend the application as follows:

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